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Christina L. Vann

Applicant : Hidenori Taga, et al.

Confirmation No. 1888

Application No. : 10/783,227

Filed : February 19, 2004

Title : OPTICAL RECEIVING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Grp./Div. : 2633

Examiner : David S. Kim

Docket No. : 51883/T360

Commissioner for Patents

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March 2, 2006

Commissioner:

Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims Fee	7	*24	0	0 x \$25.00	0 x \$50.00	0
Independent Claims	1	** 5	0	0 x \$100.00	0 x \$200.00	0
Multiple Dependent Claims ***				\$180.00	\$360.00	0
TOTAL FILING FEE						0
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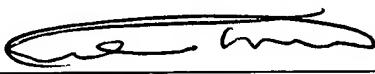
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Attached is our check for \$0 to pay the fees calculated above.
A Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee are enclosed.
Other enclosures:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by or to give effect to this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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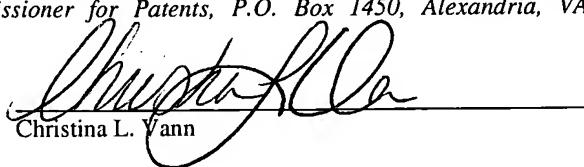
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
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Commissioner:

In response to the Office action of January 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.